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LETTER DATED 11 JUNE 1993 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF DENMARK TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

I have the honour to transmit herewith the text in English and French of a statement on Cambodia elections issued by the European Community and its member States on 10 June 1993.

I should be grateful if you would have the present letter and its annex circulated as a document of the Security Council.

(Signed) Bent HAAKONSEN
Ambassador
Permanent Representative

Annex

[Original: English and French]

Statement on Cambodia

The Community and its member States wish to congratulate the people of Cambodia on the historic and successful elections of representatives for a constituent assembly. The impressive high voter participation in spite of the special atmosphere that surrounded the election is a victory for democracy and for the peace process.

The Community and its member States also wish to congratulate and thank the United Nations Secretary-General, UNTAC and participating international polling station officers for the enormous effort and hard work invested in the preparation and actual implementation of the elections.

The Community and its member States call on all Cambodian parties to abide by their commitment under the Paris Agreements to respect the results of the elections, the conduct of which has been characterized as free and fair by all observers. They also call upon the constituent assembly to complete its task of drafting and adopting a new Cambodian constitution within 3 months of the date of elections. They encourage the parties which participated in the elections to work together constructively under the aegis of Prince Sihanouk, to facilitate the emergence of a Government of reconciliation.

The Community and its member States reaffirm their determination to continue their support for the peace process and for the reconstruction of Cambodia.